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Memorandum

To: Members of the House of Representatives, Louisiana Congressional Delegation, State

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From: C. E. "Peppi" Bruneau, Jr., Speaker Pro Tempore

Chairman, Subcommittee on Reapportionment of the Committee on House and

Governmental Affairs

Subject: Recap of public hearing and committee meeting dates to discuss reapportionment

Date: July 13, 2001

The Subcommittee on Reapportionment began a series of statewide public hearings on June 27, 2001, with a public hearing in Baton Rouge. The purpose of the public hearings is to present the latest census data and redistricting criteria and to gather information and public testimony relative to redistricting which will be considered by the legislature at a reapportionment special session tentatively scheduled for October 8-22, 2001.

Testimony will continue to be taken over the next two months at public hearings scheduled as follows. All interested persons and representatives of the affected bodies (addressees listed above) are invited to attend the hearing nearest their area to share comments with the subcommittee.

Wednesday, 7/25/01 - 1:00 p.m., Performing Arts Center Recital Hall, UNO, New Orleans, La. Thursday, 8/23/01 - 11:00 a.m., Grambling School of Nursing Auditorium, Grambling, La.

Friday, 8/24/01 - 10:00 a.m., City Council Chambers, Shreveport, La. Saturday, 8/25/01 - 3:00 p.m., Cypress Grand Ballroom, Many, La. Monday, 8/27/01 - 9:30 a.m., City Council Chambers, Lafayette, La.

Upon conclusion of the public hearings, the subcommittee will meet at the State Capitol to draft working redistricting plans for the affected public bodies. Such subcommittee meetings are scheduled for September 12th, 19th, and 26th, and October 3rd (all Wednesdays) at 10:00 a.m. in House Committee Room 5.

If you have any questions about the committee's activities, please contact me or the committee staff.

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